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Reno for Rio Bonito.

Am willing to trade Rio Bonito lands in Butte county, California, for two or three town lots, or for a house and lot in Reno. It is believed that Rio Bonito property will increase in value 100 per cent within two years. There are no richer lands in the world than the Feather river bottom lands, good for oranges, lemons, peaches, apricots and other fruits without irrigation. This is an excellent opportunity for speculation, or to get a home in one of the best spots in California. Will be in Reno for a few days, and will be pleased to meet all those who wish to avail themselves of this opportunity.
my24tf C. S. YOUNG.

Cure for Piles.

Itching Piles are known by moisture like perspiration, producing a very disagreeable moisture after getting warm. This form, as well as Blind, Bleeding and protruding Piles, yield at once to the application of Dr. Bosanko's Pile Remedy, which acts directly upon the parts affected, absorbing the tumors, allaying the intense itching, and effecting a permanent cure. 50 cents. Address The Bosanko Medical Co., Piqua, O. Sold by S. J. Hodgkinson & Co., Reno, Nev. 1y

Give Them a Chance!

That is to say, your lungs. Also all your breathing machinery. Very wonderful machinery it is. Not only the larger air passages, but the thousands of little tubes and cavities leading from them.

When these are clogged and choked with matter which ought not be there your lungs cannot half do their work. And what they do, they cannot do well.

Call it cold, cough, croup, pneumonia, catarrh, consumption or any of the family of throat and nose and head and lung obstructions, all are bad. All ought to be got rid of. There is just one sure way to get rid of them. That is to take Boschee's German Syrup, which any druggist will sell you at 75 cents a bottle. Even if everything else has failed us, you may depend upon. eow

Dr. Bo-San-Ko

In his new discovery for Consumption succeeded in producing a medicine which is acknowledged by all to be simply marvelous. It is exceedingly pleasant to the taste, perfectly harmless and does not sicken. In all cases of Consumption Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, Croup, Bronchitis, and Pains in the chest, it has given universal satisfaction. Dr. Bosanko's Cough and Lung Syrup is sold at 50 cents by S. J. Hodgkinson & Co., Reno, Nev. fel5-6m.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Hodgkinson & Co. 1y

Merit Will Tell

Was never better demonstrated than when "Fryer's Abietene Remedies" were awarded diplomas at the late California State Fair at Sacramento, and at Mechanic's Institute at San Francisco. Wm Pinniger is agent for these celebrated "Abietene Remedies," and he offers to return your money if they do not give satisfaction. In buying, be sure the fac simile signature of Dr. Fryer is on each as none are genuine without it. 1y

Cure for Sick Headache

Go to S J. Hodgkinson the Druggist and get a free sample of Dr. Gunn's Liver Pills; will cure sick headache the first night. Good for Billiousness Sallow Complexion or Pimples on the face. Only one for a dose. Twenty five cents a box. fel5 1y

An Absolute Cure.

The ORIGINAL ABIETINE OINTMENT is only put up in large two-ounce tin boxes, and is an absolute cure for old sores, burns, wounds, chapped hands, and skin eruptions. Will positively cure all kinds of piles. Ask for the ORIGINAL ABIETINE OINTMENT. Sold by Osburn & Shoemaker at 25 cents per box—by mail 30 cents. 1y

Advice to Mothers.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty five cents a bottle.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

Select Knights A. O. U. W.

Select Knights A. O. U. W., Reno Legion No. 8, meets at Odd Fellows' Hall Sierra street, the first and third Saturday of each month. PHIL. G. A G R, Commander. W. H. HELMAN, Recorder. nov22-tf

A. O. U. W.

Nevada Lodge No. 5, A. O. U. W., meets every TUESDAY NIGHT in Mason Hall. Visiting Brothers cordially invited to attend. G. O. McNess, M. W. H. S mp e, Recorder. j 5 3m

I. O. O. F.

Reno Lodge No. 19, I. O. O. F. meets at their hall on Chestnut street, over the Congregational Church. THURSDAY EVENINGS at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting members in good standing are cordially invited to attend. R. V. B RDEN, N. G. J. E. Phillips, Rec Sec'y. j 1-6m.

Reno Chapter No. 7, R. A. M.

The stated convocations of Reno Chapter No. 7, R. A. M., are held at Masonic Hall on the evening of the first Thursday of each month, commencing at 8 o'clock sharp. All sojourning companions in good standing are fraternally invited to attend. By order of the E. H. P. L. L. CROCKETT, Sec'y.

VISITING CARDS

—AT THE—

GAZETTE OFFICE

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

SACRAMENTO:

Golden Eagle Hotel—Corner Seventh and K streets, Sacramento. First-class in every respect. The largest and finest hotel in the city. W. O. (Joe) Bowers, proprietor, successor to Col. McNasser. Free bus to and from the hotel.

California State Bank.—President, N. D. Rideout; Vice President, Frederick Cox; Cashier, A. Abbott. Cor. Fourth and J street; does a general banking business.

ELLIOTT F. SHEPARD'S FIRST LOVE.

It Was Innocent, but Not Lasting—A Story of the Great Man's Youth and One of His Love Letters.

New York, much as it is accustomed to journalistic surprises and novelties, has not been so startled for many a year as by the extraordinary policy of Colonel Elliott F. Shepard in making his journal, the *Mail and Express*, a semi-religious one, and the daily insertion of a Scriptural text over the editorial column. Colonel Shepard rather prides himself on his consistency, as although a large stockholder in the Fifth avenue stage line he strenuously opposed the running of the vehicles on Sunday, an evidence of his deep religious feeling and his disregard of Mammon when Christian principles are concerned. The following is a faithful report of a conversation between two ladies that was overheard in one of Colonel Shepard's own stages, which throws a somewhat new light on his character:

"I should think it would be awfully nice to ride down on these stages on Sunday, and see the styles on Fifth avenue."

"Yes, but Colonel Shepard don't like to have the stages run on Sunday. He thinks it's wicked."

"Colonel Shepard—who is he?"

"He's the president of this stage line, the son-in-law of Mr. Vanderbilt, and the pious editor of the *Mail and Express*. He heads all his editorial pages with a Scriptural text."

"Is his name Elliott?"

"Yes."

"Then I know all about him. You must listen carefully, for it's a great secret. He once loved Alma, our seamstress!"

"Oh, no!"

"But it is true. It was ages ago, before he knew Miss Vanderbilt, when he was very young, and they lived out our way, and one wasn't any richer or better than the other. He used to write her the loveliest little love letters—so good and innocent. I know, for I've seen them. Well, he loved and wrote, and she loved and wrote, and they both grew up—alas to part! He came to the city—was famous in his way—married the richest heiress to be found, experienced religion, and became editor of a newspaper, and friend, philosopher and guide of Chauncey M. Depew."

"And she?"

"She married a New Jersey man—a shiftless fellow, who failed to support her or his children, and Alma had to sew for a living. When times were hard she was obliged to look both ways and all ways to make the 'two ends meet.'

"One day, when there was a big space between these same two ends, she thought she'd go and see her rich old lover and see if he could help her.

"I'd like to have seen Col. Shepard's face as that demure little faded-out old woman walked into his big office. She sent word that a lady and old friend from his early home wished to see him.

"'Was he kind, Alma?' I asked her on her return.

"'Yes, Miss, but sort-o'-grand like. He looked as if he kind o'wondered who I was. So I made a bow and said, I'm Alma!'

"'Alma! Alma! Who?'

"'Why your little playmate and sweetheart. I've brought you a letter you wrote to me when we were both young and you loved me. See, here's your name down to the bottom, Elliott F. Shepard. He took it, read it through, and then he seemed thoughtful and puzzled. Finally he said:

"'I remember you now. This little letter is very interesting to me. I want to take it home and show it to Mrs. Shepard. She will be pleased to see it.'

"'Did you let him have it, Alma?'

"'Yes, Miss; wasn't I right, Miss?'

"'I suppose so, but I must say it was 'cute in him. He wasn't anxious to see his name, even in boyish writing, in the possession of a poor sewing woman.'

"'What else did he say, Alma?'

"'He asked if I were married and happy and when I said I was unhappy and poor, he said he was sorry. He told me, very kindly, that he'd liked to have heard good news from me. Then he got up, and I got up, and he showed me to the office door, and that was all.'"

"Did he give the poor woman anything?"

"No; not even a pass to ride his stages, and he forgot to quote the Bible and tell her: 'The Lord will provide.' 'Trust in Him!'"

"Did she ever get her letter back?"

"No; but she has more letters, and when I get home I will borrow them and we will have lots of fun reading them. We will see how much Scripture he quoted in his love letters. We might find them interesting, as might the former Miss Vanderbilt."

Here the stage reached Central Park, and the two ladies alighted.

ROSE SHAPLEIGH.

THE LILY SHOPPING.

The Way Mrs. Langtry Makes the Salesgirls Happy.

Tales of Mrs. Langtry's shopping expeditions have found their way into print before now, but it would be a mistake to lay too little stress on the tact with which her Lilyship utilizes every chance of contact with the great people. It was stockings the other day. Her brother, Mr. Le Breton, was with her. She did not bring him to the stocking counter. She set him to choosing for her a silver glove fastener or some such trifle. She called for black silk stockings. Every saleswoman within reach started forward to wait upon her. Her Lilyship sat down. Sitting is much more social than standing while making purchases. She was not quite sure about her size and to those that were offered objected. "O, but these are quite too small; you know I walk a great deal and my feet are terribly large." A very shapely foot in a chamois kid tie was thrust forward ever so little, but the mark of confidence would have been ill bestowed if it had not convinced every woman present that the foot, seen or unseen, was the prettiest, whether or not the smallest, ever shown.

An Unfilled Want.

First Swell—"There goes Miller, the richest man in town. What a pity the old fellow has no daughter. Don't you think so?"

Second Swell—"I don't know. Why?"

First Swell—"Because she would make such a good wife for me."—Fliegende Blätter.

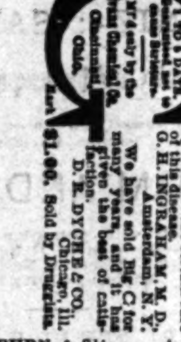
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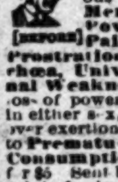
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A guaranteed cure for all nervous diseases, such as Weak Memory, Loss of Brain Power, Hysteria, Headache, Pain in the Back, Nervous Prostration, Wakefulness, Leucorrhoea, Universal Lassitude, Seminal Weakness, Impotency and general loss of power of the Generative Organs in either sex, caused by indiscretion or over exertion, and which ultimately lead to Premature Old Age, Insanity and Consumption. $1 a box, or six boxes for $5. Sent by mail on receipt of price. Full particulars in pamphlet, sent free to every applicant. [BEFORE] Trade Mark. [AFTER]

We Guarantee Six Boxes to cure any case. For every $5 order received, we send six boxes, with a written guarantee to refund the money if our specific does not effect a cure. Address all communications to the Sole Manufacturers. THE MURRAY MEDICINE CO., Kansas City, Mo. Sold in Reno by Osborne & Shoemaker, Agents.



DR. JORDAN'S MUSEUM OF ANATOMY, 751 Market Street, SAN FRANCISCO.

Go and learn how to avoid disease, and how wonderfully you are made. Private office, 211 Geary st. Consultation on Lost Manhood and Diseases of Men. Send for book. my10-tf.

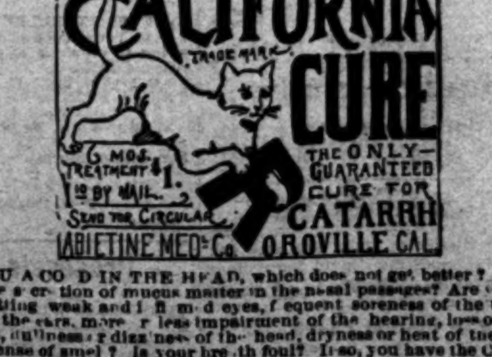
MARRIED LADIES, or those contemplating marriage will, by sending 1c. to pay postage, etc., receive by return mail a package of goods and information important to every lady. je2m3 F. R. BRILL, New Haven, Ct

See Sing Laundry,

Virginia Street, Between First and Second.

"CHARLEY," FOR MANY YEARS proprietor of the See Wah Laundry on Virginia street, has returned from China and has opened the above named Laundry, and is now prepared to do washing for families, hotels, etc. Prices reasonable and satisfaction guaranteed. j 24f

—SEND THE— WEEKLY GAZETTE —TO FRIENDS IN THE EAST.—



HAVE YOU A COLD IN THE HEAD, which does not get better? Have you an excessive secretion of mucus matter in the nasal passages? Are you troubled by hawking, spitting weak and inflamed eyes, frequent soreness of the throat, ringing or roaring in the ears, more or less impairment of the hearing, loss of memory impaired, dullness or dizziness of the head, dryness or heat of the nose? Have you lost all sense of smell? Is your breath foul? If so, you have the Catarrh. Some have all these symptoms, others only a part.

California Cat-R-Cure

Restores the sense of taste and smell, removes bad taste and unpleasant breath, resulting from catarrh. Easy and pleasant to use. Follow directions and a cure is warranted by all druggists.

RECOMMENDED.

CAPTAIN CHARLES L. DIMON of New York City, formerly special agent of the Phoenix and Home Insurance Company at San Francisco, California, says: "I had been troubled with chronic Catarrh for twenty years. A friend in Woodland, Cal., recommended your CAT-R-CURE. I procured a jar, having but little faith in its curative properties; but I must say, after using three jars, I am cured of the disgusting disease. Inclosed find $5, for which send me California CAT-R-CURE for some friend who are sufferers."

For Sale by Osburn & Shoemaker, Wholesale & Retail.

DRUGS AND MEDICINES.

S. J. HODGKINSON, APOTHECARY, --Dealer in Drugs, Medicines,-- Perfumery, Toilet Articles, AND FINE CIGARS, VIRGINIA STREET, - RENO, NEV

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Zeigler's Furniture Store,

Corner Commercial Row and Sierra street,

None but New Furniture Handled.

Upholstering and repairing a specialty.

Furniture of Every Description Kept in Stock.

AGENT FOR THE $7 IMPROVED Household Treasure Kitchen Table. Examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere. JOSEPH A. ZIEGLER. [my16-tf.]

RENO FURNITURE STORE

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RENO, ...NEVADA.

NEW INVOICES OF BED-ROOM SETS, Chairs, Tables and all kinds of General Furniture received daily by the undersigned. Also, all kinds of Mattresses made and repaired, as good as new. Townsend's

"KITCHEN TREASURE,"

The joy of every housekeeper, for sale at SEVEN ($7) DOLLARS at Needham's old stand, near the bridge, by my7-tf. F. C. SESSIONS.

HO, FOR LAKE TAHOE!

Tourists, Attention!

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT



The Lake Tahoe Stage

W. D. KEYSER, Proprietor,

LEAVES CARSON CITY DAILY AT 9 o'clock A. M., on arrival of train from Reno, for Glenbrook. Returning connects with the local train to Virginia City at 5:10 P. M., and the regular passenger for Reno at 8:40 P. M.

THE SCENERY

On this route is unequalled in the Sierra, and the tourist should not miss the opportunity, so favorably presented, to view it.

All orders left, or directed, in care of the Arlington and Ormsby hotels will receive punctual attention. my29 d&w5m

LEGAL.

Dissolution Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, John A. Fitzgerald retiring, and R. W. Parry assuming the sole management, and will pay all bills and collect all accounts due the late firm.

R. W. PARRY,
J. A. FITZGERALD.
August 1, 1888. aug6 1m

Notice to Distributees.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE State of Nevada in and for the county of Washoe.—In the matter of the estate of M. C. LAKE, deceased.—The petition and application of Charles T. Bender having been made and filed in said Court, praying for a distribution of the property of the estate of M. C. Lake, deceased, remaining after administration in the hands of said Charles T. Bender, administrator of said estate, and final accounting of said administration having been made, and said accounting having been approved by said Court, it is ordered that all persons interested in said estate, or who may have any interest in the property of said estate and the distribution thereof, are directed to be and appear before said Court, at the Court-room, at Reno, in said county of Washoe,

On Saturday, the 11th Day of August, A. D. 1888,

At the hour of 10 o'clock of the forenoon of said day, then and there to show such cause as they or any of them may have against an order and decree of distribution by said Court, whereby the property of said estate may be distributed as prayed in said petition, and should no sufficient cause appear an order and decree will be made distributing said property in accordance with the prayer of said petition and application for distribution.

Done in open Court this 7th day of July, A. D. 1888.

R. R. BIGELOW, District Judge.

State of Nevada, County of Washoe, ss.—I, T. V. Julien, County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the District Court, State of Nevada, in and for Washoe county, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the original order of the District Court in the matter of the estate of M. C. Lake, deceased, which now remains on file in my office in Reno in said county.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at Reno, this 7th day of July, A. D. 1888.

[SEAL] T. V. JULIEN, Clerk. jy7td

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE IS GIVEN TO ALL THOSE interested to present their claims against the estate of PHILIP REESE, deceased, with the necessary vouchers and proofs, to JULIA REESE, administratrix of said estate, at the law office of W. Webster at Reno, Nevada, within ten months from the first publication of this notice; and if the same are not presented for allowance and approval within ten months they will be barred.

JULIA REESE, Administratrix. jy14 4w

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE IS GIVEN TO ALL THOSE interested to present their claims against the estate of JOHN DALZIEL, deceased, with the necessary vouchers and proofs, to A. G. FLETCHER, executor of said estate, at his residence on Central, between Fifth and Sixth streets, Reno, Nevada, within ten months from the date of the first publication of this notice. Should the same not be presented for allowance and approval before the close of said term they will be barred.

jy14 4w A. G. FLETCHER, Executor.

Estray.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT on or about the 18th day of December, 1887, two estray steers came upon my ranch at Glendale, about four miles from the town of Reno, in the county of Washoe, State of Nevada, and that the said steers were upon that day taken and are now held by me for safe keeping as estrays; that the same have been duly reported by me to the Justice of the Peace of Reno, in said county, and have been duly appraised by appraisers appointed by said Justice, and said property described and appraised as follows, to-wit: Two steers, branded J. L. connected on the right hip; a mark, two under bits on left ear; about two years old and color red and line back, and dark red and muley; appraised at $22 50 each, making total valuation $45. The owner or owners of said property are hereby notified to come, prove and pay all charges against the same in three months from date hereof, or he or they shall forfeit all right, title and claim thereto, and the same shall vest in the taker-up, according to law. GEORGE AL .

June 1st 1888. je1 3m

Homestead Application.

LAND OFFICE AT CARSON CITY, NEV., August 2, 1888.—Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Carson City, Nevada, on the

Fifth Day of September, 1888,

Viz.: JOHN R. GILPATRICK on Homestead Application No 456 for the north half of the southwest quarter, northwest quarter of the southeast quarter and the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 27, Township 33 north, range 22 east. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz.: Stephen M. Hubbard of Sheephead, Washoe county, Nevada; John F. Bonham of Sheephead, Washoe county, Nevada; Edward Laird, of Sheephead, Washoe county, Nevada; Hiram W. Millsaps of Steamboat, Washoe county, Nevada.

ag3td O. H. GALLUP, Register.

Indian Depredation Claims.

THE BILL FOR THE PAYMENT AND adjustment of Indian Depredation Claims having passed the House of Representatives at Washington, and is now pending in the Senate, it will be to the interest of those having claims of that sort to confer with the undersigned at Reno, who are agents for the collection of such claims.

C. S. YOUNG,
jy30tf C. H. STODDARD.

$500 REWARD!

THE ABOVE REWARD WILL BE paid for the arrest and conviction of any party or parties found guilty of stealing, killing or running off, altering brands or marks of any live stock belonging to any member of the Nevada Live Stock Association.

N. H. A. MASON, President.
GEO. S. NIXON, Secretary.
Winnemucca, April 21, 1884. ap14tf d&w

L. C. HAWK,

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A NEW SIDESADDLE FOR SALE AT a bargain. Inquire of E. Barbe, at the store of W. O. H. Martin. au2 1w*

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A BRICK HOUSE, NINE ROOMS, Stable and good Well, situated on the northeast corner of Virginia and Sixth streets. Apply to Burke Bros. au2tf

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A MAN AND WIFE WANT SITUATIONS on a ranch. The wife is a good cook and the husband an experienced rancher. Inquire at A. Nelson's cigar store. au1 1w*

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Notice.

ALL PERSONS KNOWING THEMselves indebted to J. J. Nicholson for groceries and provisions are hereby requested to call and settle their accounts forthwith.

S. MARTIN, Collector.
Office—Corner Second and Center streets, Reno, Nevada. jy30 2w*

Midwife.

MRS. ANNA GEISS, FROM THE HOSpital Cavell, Alsace-Lorraine, can be consulted at her residence Pyramid House, Reno. jy1tf

Ice! Ice! Ice!

LEAVE ORDERS AT MEYER'S CIGAR store, Commercial Row, for pure mountain ice. Families supplied. m 1-t. J. F. AITKEN.

For Sale or Trade.

WERNER & JAMISON HAVE A number of fine Wagons and Carriages for sale or trade at their Carriage Paint Shop, near T. K. Hymer's stable. A fine chance for a good bargain.

ja30-tf. WERNER & JAMISON.

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FACTORY.—The first candy factory in Reno. Fresh candy every hour. Call and get prices of small quantities or by the barrel. Wholesale prices same as San Francisco. [ja14] C. J. BROOKINS.

TOWN ORDINANCES.

TOWN ORDINANCE No. 28.

An Ordinance Pertaining to Sewerage in the Town of Reno.

[Passed July 7, 1888.]

BY VIRTUE OF THE POWER AND AUthority conferred by the laws of the State of Nevada, the Board of County Commissioners do ordain as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby made the duty of all persons owning property fronting on streets and alleys within the corporate limits of the town of Reno, through which the sewer system of said town has been, or may hereafter be completed, to properly connect the waste and soil pipes of their respective premises with said sewer system, so as to properly and effectually drain their said premises, and all such connections shall be made with iron or vitrified earthen pipe; and if any property-owner shall fail, refuse or neglect to make proper connection with said sewer system, as herein provided, for a period of thirty days after the completion of said sewer system to or past his or her premises, the Board of County Commissioners shall cause written notice to be served upon all such property-owners, or the party in possession of such premises, to immediately cause such connections to be made; and if the person or persons so notified fail, refuse or neglect to connect such premises with the sewer system, as herein provided, for a period of ten days after service of such notice, all vaults, sinks and cesspools upon such premises shall be deemed a public nuisance, and the Sheriff of Washoe county shall have authority, and it is hereby made his duty, upon written order of the Commissioners, to summarily remove the same, and in so doing may employ such help as he may deem necessary; and any expense incurred therein shall become a lien upon the premises affected thereby. After removing the nuisance, as herein directed, the Sheriff shall make an itemized statement of the expenses incurred by him in the performance of such duty, and deliver the same to the District Attorney, who shall immediately commence an action, in the name of the County Commissioners, against the owner or owners of the premises for the collection of the same.

Section 2. When any sink, vault or cesspool has been removed by order of the Commissioners, as provided in Section 1 of this ordinance, the owner, or any person in possession of any such premises, who shall thereafter erect, maintain or suffer to exist upon such premises any vault, sink or cesspool, shall be deemed guilty of maintaining a nuisance, and upon conviction thereof before any Court of competent jurisdiction, shall be fined in any sum not less than $25, nor more than $100, or be imprisoned in the County Jail not to exceed 25 days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

T. K. HYMERS, Chairman.
Attest: T. V. JULIEN, Clerk. jy20 6t

TOWN ORDINANCE No. 29.

An Ordinance Pertaining to Street Grades in the Town of Reno.

[Passed July 12, 1888.]

UNDER AND BY AUTHORITY OF THE laws of the State of Nevada, the Board of County Commissioners of Washoe county, Nevada, do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Whenever, in the judgment of the Board of County Commissioners, it is necessary to establish the grade of any street, alley or sidewalk within the limits of the town of Reno, the Board shall, by resolution, duly recorded in the records of the Board, designate the particular street or alley wherein such grades are to be established, and by actual surveys, cause such grade or grades to be made and marked with iron pins, and a map thereof to be filed in the office of the County Clerk; and when the map shall have been so filed, the grades so marked and therein designated shall be deemed established, and shall not thereafter be changed except upon petition signed by persons representing at least three-fourths of the real estate fronting on that portion of the street or alley effected by the proposed alteration or change. And where grades have been so established all buildings and sidewalks thereafter constructed or reconstructed shall be made to conform to such established grades.

T. K. HYMERS, Chairman.
Attest: T. V. JULIEN, Clerk. jy20 6t

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

FOR CONGRESS,
H. F. BARTINE,
Of Ormsby County.

For Justice Supreme Court,
M. A. MURPHY,
Of Esmeralda County.

For Presidential Electors,
A. C. CLEVELAND,
EUGENE ROBINSON,
Of White Pine County,
G. F. TURRITTIN,
Of Humboldt County.

For State University Regents,
(Long Term)
T. H. WELLS,
Of Ormsby County,
H. L. FISH,
Of Washoe County.
(Short Term)
E. T. GEORGE,
Of Lander County.

PLATFORM AND RESOLUTIONS

The following platform and resolutions were adopted by the Republican State Convention, which convened at Winnemucca on the 15th instant:

The Republicans of the State of Nevada, in Convention assembled, again express their loyalty to the principles of the Republican party, which have made this country so great and prosperous during the last quarter of a century.

RESOLVED, That the question of a sufficient supply of circulating medium to maintain a permanent range of the price of labor and property is the most important political question awaiting solution by the American people.

That a diminishing quantity of money reduces the price of labor and property, enriches the creditor, impoverishes the debtor, and paralyzes industry and enterprise.

That the present financial system of the United States, which increases or diminishes the circulating medium at the pleasure of the manipulators of the national banks, without regard to the increase of population or the wants of the people, and which recognizes gold alone as the standard of value, and places in the hands of the Treasury Department all the revenue of the Government to speculate with in bonds and loan to the national banks without interest, is subversive of the rights of the people, oppressive, unjust and should be repudiated.

That a financial policy whereby both gold and silver shall form the basis of circulation, whether the money used by the people be coin, or coin certificates redeemable in coin, or both, as convenience may require, is imperatively demanded.

That the attempt to substitute national bank notes, costing the Government millions of dollars annually, for free silver, costing nothing, is an outrage upon the people; that the money ring or trust, which has usurped the sovereign power of the Government to issue money, and which has fraudulently demonetized silver and seized the revenues of the Government for private speculation, shocks the moral sense of the people and destroys respect for government and law. We demand that this ring or trust be destroyed, and equal rights be restored to all the people.

We charge that President Cleveland is the willing tool or agent of a powerful money ring, which fattens on the subsidies of the Government, makes war on silver, issues its paper currency at the expense of the Government, borrows the revenues raised by taxation and uses them without the payment of interest, contracts the currency to enhance the value of bonds, and enriches usurers, while it depresses the price of labor and property.

That we favor the nomination of no man for President who is personally interested in national banks or the bonded indebtedness of the United States, but we demand a candidate who is free to do justice to all the people of the country—the poor as well as the rich.

That the trick of the President and his advisers by which they prevented a vote in the House of Representatives on the Beck silver amendment to the Bond Purchase bill, equals the villainy of the secret and fraudulent demonetization of silver in 1873.

II.

RESOLVED, That we are in favor of the protection of home industry, and that the laborers of this country have a right to all the work required to supply the people of the United States, and that we are in favor of high wages, and to that end will protect the wage workers from competition with the cheap labor of other lands.

RESOLVED, That the policy of the Government should be inaugurated and established by the people through their representatives in both Houses of Congress, and not by the President or money trust, of which he, either as agent or head, is most active in defending.

III.

We charge President Cleveland with violating every promise he made in favor of civil service reform, with crippling the mail service, with refusing to sign necessary bills for the improvement of rivers and harbors, with using the power of his administration to prevent appropriations for navy and coast defenses, with attempting to destroy the protective tariff, with courting the good will of other nations at the expense of the citizens of the United States, and with joining the foreign bondholders to demonetize silver and destroy the industries of his own country, and for the reduction of the wages of the Mint employes at Carson, for closing the Carson Mint when it was not only self-sustaining but a source of revenue to the Government, for his contemptuous vetoes of bills for the relief of disabled soldiers and sailors, and for failing to construct the Government building at Carson as required by law.

IV.

We are in favor of the absolute exclusion of Chinese, and of the restriction of immigration by which the overcharged condition of the labor market is made worse, and we favor legislation by which a revision of our naturalization and land laws may be accomplished.

V.

We demand in behalf of our various industries the retention of the duties on lead borax, soda, hides and leather, and to restore the tariff of 1867 on wool.

VI.

RESOLVED, That we recognize the right of labor to organize for its lawful protection.

VII.

We favor the appropriations by Congress for hydrographical and topographical surveys in this State, to the end that the waste waters may be preserved for the purpose of irrigation.

VIII.

We endorse the wise and conservative administration of Governor Stevenson, and we heartily commend the able efforts of Senators Jones and Stewart and Representative Woodburn in behalf of the interests of this State.

IX.

We favor the granting to Nevada of all Government land within the State for the purpose of providing means for irrigation and other improvements.

X.

We favor the reduction of the Treasury surplus by the payment of pensions to Union soldiers, their widows and orphans, the improvement of rivers and harbors, the building of defenses for the sea coast, the erection of public buildings, the creation of a navy, the purchase of bonds and the repeal of the internal revenue laws taxing tobacco.

XI.

It is the duty of this State to maintain free, non-sectarian schools in the rural and sparsely settled districts, as well as in towns and thickly populated sections, and that such division of the school money shall be made as will furnish the means of education to all children of the State.

XII.

We are in favor of reopening the Carson Mint for coinage and raising the wages of its employes to the standard paid by the last administration.

XIII.

We demand the restoration of the mail service in this State to the efficiency maintained by the last Republican administration, and favor the payment of fair wages to all postal employes.

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LEVI P. MORTON,
Of New York.

Wednesday.....August 8, 1888

NOTICE.

Readers of the EVENING GAZETTE, going out of town for the summer, can have the paper mailed to them to any point on the Pacific Coast for 50 cents per month, postage free.

THE Salt Lake Tribune says it is small business in Senator Plumb to fight the appropriation for a survey of the arid regions of the West to determine upon the amount of land to be reclaimed through irrigation. The proposed survey is directly in the interests of justice, and the proposition is a manifestation of intelligence. It is common of course to think of our region here as the "Great American Desert," but there are plenty of places in this desert where as much good land as would make an ordinary Eastern State can be put under a higher state of cultivation than the men of the East are accustomed to seeing. In the western portion of Senator Plumb's own State there might be a transfiguration made just so far as water could be secured. If the four or five considerable rivers that flow there could be taken from their beds and utilized upon the land, the result would give the Kansas people a better idea of the efficacy of water than they ever received from St. John. Whenever one inch of water can be secured to an acre of dry land, the result causes men to conclude that the inch of water is really worth more than the acre of land. It will take a long time to give Eastern people an idea of this, but it will come after awhile. Meantime, the proposition before the Senate looking to the necessary surveys and estimates, is one that a Senator cannot challenge without impeaching his own intelligence.

THE Finance Committee of the Senate is supposed to be actively at work upon the preparation of a substitute for the Mills Tariff bill, and Senator Allison is quoted as saying that the Senate will not adjourn until some such measure has passed that august body. If the Senate could report a substitute for the House bill and press it to a speedy vote without an unnecessarily protracted delay it would accomplish a certain good, but that good would be wholly political. Such a substitute would serve to bring forth with definitive clearness the full meaning of the Republican protective policy; it would better enable the people of the nation to judge the widely divergent aims of the two parties, would afford an admirable comparison and contrast to the Democratic measure and would tend to simplify the campaign. But this is all it would do. It must not be forgotten that in no event would it afford any practical relief to the country, because in no event would it be allowed by the Democrats to become a law. No measure, however wise and admirable, would be allowed to pass through the Democratic House, and even if it should, it would most certainly meet with a Presidential veto. Whatever may be the action which the Senate decides to take, it will always be with these facts in mind and with the full realization of the fact that however strenuously opposed to the Democratic legislation which threatens our industries, is it powerless to combat that legislation. The relief to the people must come from the people themselves in the ensuing election.

The "Rainless Region."

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—The report of the interior wheat lands of Oregon and Washington Territory shows the existence of about fifteen million acres of land along the Cascade Range, known as the "Rainless Region," which, despite the absence of rain during several months of the year, is valuable for wheat raising, the clay subsoil holding the moisture of winter and early spring.

OVER THE WIRES.

Last Honors to the Dead Hero.

Locomotive Engineers to Discuss the Situation.

The Treaty With China—Bold Mexican Bandits—Miscellaneous.

THE DEAD SOLDIER.

The Body of Sheridan to be Placed in the Arlington National Cemetery.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—The President has countermanded the order directing General Schofield to come to Washington, and ordered him to go to Nonquitt, as he is to have charge of the military arrangements of the funeral.

Colonel Lamont says that another order will be issued closing the Executive Departments on the day of the funeral.

There has been a great deal of adverse criticism of the evident intention of the physicians attending General Sheridan to mislead the public by the bulletins. As a consequence his death was a great surprise, as well as a regret to all.

It has finally been decided that General Sheridan's remains shall be buried in the Arlington National Cemetery on Sunday. There will be no service of any sort at Nonquitt at the widow's request.

The arrangements for the funeral, so far as completed, are as follows: The funeral party will start from Nonquitt on Wednesday evening, by a special boat, for New Bedford. President Cheate of the Old Colony Road has tendered the use of a special train from New Bedford to Boston, and by this the party will proceed direct. Vice President Frank Thompson of the Pennsylvania Railroad has tendered the use of a special train from New York to Washington, and the party will go by the New York and New England, the Pennsylvania's eastern connection to New York, and thence to Washington

DIAGNOSIS OF SHERIDAN'S COMPLAINT.

The New York Herald correspondent was informed by one of the physicians that the valves of the aorta and pulmonary artery had disgenerated, there being atheromatous changes of the valves and the endocardial lining of the heart was impaired. The circulation of the blood, resulting from these lesions, led to pulmonary engorgement and the cough of the past two months. The oxygen treatment was not employed the last night because there were no signs of any difficulty in his respiration. The heart merely slowly but definitely ceased to act. There have been no indications of liver or kidney or other diseases.

EMBALMED.

This morning it was arranged that Sheridan's body should be transported to Washington in a special car which will leave New Bedford on Wednesday. The embalming of the body was finished early this morning.

THE FUNERAL SERVICES.

In accordance with Sheridan's wishes and those of Mrs. Sheridan, the ceremonies in Washington will be as simple as possible. The funeral, however, will be military.

The interment will be at the Soldiers' Home, in Washington, if assurance can be obtained that his wife and children may be given a resting-place beside him.

AN UNBELIEVER

Driven from His Lodge and Boycotted for Infidelity.

WABASH, Ind., Aug. 8.—Arthur C. Everett has been expelled from the Knights of Labor on account of his atheistic views, to which he has given free expression, both publicly and in lodge-room. Everett has taken an appeal, and his case will be heard at the State Assembly in Indianapolis next month. Everett was formely editor of the Labor Advocate, the official paper of the Knights in this district. His anti-religious notions became very obnoxious in the lodge-rooms, where he openly denounced the members for allowing a copy of the Bible to be placed in the assembly's reading-room. After a violent discussion he was formally and physically expelled. Since then Everett alleges that he has not only been deprived of the support of the Knights, which he enjoyed as a publisher, but has been so effectually boycotted by them that he has not been able to secure any sort of employment.

Senate Tariff Measure.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—The Senate Tariff Sub-Committee is hard at work upon the Tariff bill and at the same time giving brief informal hearings to all who come. This morning the final revision of the measure in detail was begun, and it is hoped to have the work completed this week. It is not expected that the Democrats of the Finance Committee will care to delay the measure in committee, but it is thought probable they will reserve such crititicism as they may have to make for debate in open session.

LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEERS.

A Convention to be Held at St. Louis on the 9th.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 7.—The date for Chief Arthur's convention has finally been made known, as well as the place. It will be held in St. Louis to-morrow, and may possibly last two or three days. Matters of supreme importance to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers are to be discussed. Among others, the recent meeting of engineers, firemen, switchmen and brakemen at St. Joseph, who decided upon a plan of federation The "Q" strike will also be considered.

There is a double purpose in the meeting quite patent to the initiated. In the first place Arthur doesn't wish to see the consummation of the proposed federation scheme. In the second place he is bent on having hostilities with the Burlington cease and an honorable settlement effected. As a side issue, but none the less important, is his determination to prevent an open split in the ranks of the brotherhood, as threatened by the radical wing for some time past.

MEXICAN ROBBERS.

The Terrible Experience Two Merchants Had With Them

MEXICO, Aug. 8.—Two merchants traveling on horseback from Talnca to the City of Mexico were assaulted at the Baranca del Muelto, the scene of numerous deeds of violence. The merchants had over $3,000 in their saddlebags, and were met by a party of bandits, thirty in all, twelve of whom were mounted. The merchants opened fire on the robbers, killing three and wounding two. They then put spurs to their horses and attempted to escape, but were overtaken by the mounted robbers, dragged from their horses, robbed of all their money and valuables, stripped of their clothing and tied to trees. After two days and two nights they were discovered. Eight robbers have been captured and one confessed that they belonged to a gang of fifty.

PROTECTING FISHERMEN.

A U. S. Vessel to be Stationed in the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 8.—A vessel of the north Atlantic squadron has been ordered to proceed to the fishing grounds in the gulf of St. Lawrence, to look after American interests and afford fishermen protection and assistance. It is the desire of the Navy department to have at least one vessel among the American fishing fleets at all times. No trouble is expected, but it is thought this will have a good moral effect upon our fisherman, and impress upon their minds that the government is looking after their interests. Should Canadian cruisers try the old game of seizing American fishermen, it is thought three ships may be sent north at the same time.

In Honor of Sheridan.

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 8.—Governor Waterman has issued an order that all State offices be closed on Saturday, the date of General Sheridan's funeral. He also requests business houses to close during the hour of the funeral.

Adjutant General Orton has issued orders directing that flags be placed at half-mast over all State armories and that members of the National Guard of California wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days.

The Treaty With China.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—The State Department does not expect to hear finally from the Emperor of China concerning the new treaty until Chang Yen Hoe, the minister to this country, returns from his trip to Peru. He is not expected for several weeks yet. If the treaty be accepted he must be present at the exchange. If rejected, he will notify Secretary Bayard in person.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

—The floods in Austria continue, and it has been decided to close navigation on the arm of the Danbue traversing Vienna.

—Governor Morehouse of Missouri will grant Maxwell's attorney a final hearing to-day, and also consider Minister West's application at the same time.

—Senator Stewart yesterday addressed the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations in advocacy of the bill to prohibit the coming of Chinese laborers to this country.

—John McNulty, the longshoreman who shot and killed James Collins in San Francisco some time ago, has been convicted of murder in the first degree. He has since become insane.

—The bill for the relief of the State of Oregon for equipments, etc., of Union soldiers for the war of the Rebellion has been reported adversely, as was also a similar bill for the relief of Colorado, Oregon, Nebraska, California, Nevada, Idaho and Washington.

A Good Suggestion.

A prominent business man of Virginia has suggested to the *Enterprise* that it would be an eminently proper proceeding for the business houses of that town to close next Saturday during the burial services over the remains of General Sheridan. The suggestion is a good one and the GAZETTE commends it to the consideration of the merchants of Reno.

Will Receive Bids.

The State Board of Agriculture will receive bids up to August 20, 1888, for the bar, cigar, hay and restaurant privileges at the grounds, and for the ice cream, candy, soda water and milk shake stands in the pavilion.

THE GOVERNOR IMMORTALIZED

His Picture is Now Presented With a Package of Cigarettes.

The manufacturers of a certain well-known brand of cigarettes, with every pack of which is given a picture of some celebrity, having exhausted the crowned heads of Europe, are now giving to the youth of the land pictures of the Governors of the various States and Territories of the Union, among them being those of Governor C. C. Stevenson of Nevada, and his brother, Governor Stevenson of Idaho. Our Governor looks in the picture as pretty as a country girl in picnic costume, and on the whole the counterfeit presentment is a striking one. 'Tis true the Governor's hair is represented as being of a silvery hue instead of the color Titian loved so well, and his mouth is placed in a position in which he looks as if he were trying to swallow his left ear, but still the picture bears a sufficient resemblance to our Governor to warrant the belief that the artist knew his business when he labeled it "Governor of Nevada."

TRUCKEE AGAIN HEARD FROM.

A Mill Hand Kills a Negro with a Blow of His Fist

On Monday evening Oscar Legault, a mill hand, killed a negro named Samuel Morris in Melocheles' saloon in Truckee. An intoxicated man had treated the crowd and threw a handful of money on the bar in payment for the drinks. Morris grabbed the money, but was compelled to return it. This so incensed him that he struck Legault, a quiet witness to the attempted robbery. Legault returned the assault, and struck Morris a fearful blow with his fist on the bridge of his nose, breaking it and driving pieces of the bone into his head, causing death within an hour. The Coroner's jury completely exonerated Legault. Public sentiment is also with the latter.

A Future Source of Supply.

An Idaho paper says: Nevada is beginning to draw upon the immense pine forests situated in the Sierra to the northward of the line of the Central Pacific. A few years hence the Nevadans will be compelled to come all the way to Idaho for their timber, and the enormous timber growth of the Middle and South Boise and of Little and Big Smoky will then be availed of and keep hundreds of able-bodied men steadily employed for years.

A Grunt From the Comstock.

The Virginia *Enterprise* unkindly and ungallantly alludes to Miss Lillie Deveraux Blake's interesting lecture, "Is it a Crime to be a Woman?" as "verbal swill." If the scribe who so named it could only hear the lecture which he condemns, the GAZETTE would guarantee that it would be the most wholesome and palatable food for thought that has been placed in his trough for a long time.

A Despicable Wretch.

A middle-aged man named Murphy, a hanger-on of one of the disreputable dives on Center street, is said to employ his leisure hours in exposing his person to the small children who play in that detectable neighborhood. A complaint has been lodged with Justice Young, and it is probable that the despicable wretch will soon find employment in the chain-gang.

Louisiana Lottery.

Following are the numbers winning the principal prizes of the August drawing of the Louisiana Lottery which took place yesterday: No. 3,894, wins $300,000; No. 31,809 wins $100,000; No. 84,759 wins $25,000 Nos. 91,625 and 83,905 win each $10,000; Nos. 79,118, 23,780, 87,449, 70,628 and 96,476 each win $5,000.

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DIED.

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By Direction of COL. COLEMAN YOUNGER,

We will sell the noted FOREST HOME HERD OF SHORT-HORNS, numbering about seventy head of cattle of the choicest breeding. It comprises Kirklevingtons, Airdries, Thorndales, Louans, Oxfords and other branches of the Bates strain of the Short-Horn family.

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Catalogues now ready, and may be had of COL. YOUNGER, San Jose, or the auctioneers

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.....AT.....
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Reno Evening Gazette

Wednesday.....August 8, 1888

WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.

Agricultural Experiment Station, for August 7, 1888.

	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.
Temperature*.....	61.1	90.8	77.3
Dew point*.....	44.0	44.4	28.8
Relative humidity†	52.7	21.2	16.9

* In degrees. † Per cent.

Mean temperature	76 7°
Mean relative humidity (per cent.)	30.6
Maximum temperature	91 1°
Minimum temperature	58 4°
Range of temperature	32.7°
State of weather	clear
Prevailing winds	northeast
Total rain fall (inches)	00

W. McN. Miller, Observer.

STOCK QUOTATIONS

235 Ophir, 4 95, 5
170 Mexican, 2¾
255 Gould & Curry, 2¼, 2 45
200 B at & Belcher, 3 20, 3 15
50 Con-Cal-Va., 7 7-8
220 Savage, 2 35, 2 30
550 Choller 2 10
150 Potosi, 1¾
240 Hale & Norcross, 5, 4 95
250 Crown Point, 3 20
250 Yellow Jacket, 3 35
400 Belcher, 3 70, 3 80
100 Imperial, 35c
100 Alpha, 1 40
10 Confidence, 13
570 Sierra Nevada, 2 35, 230
200 U ah, 1 10
200 Bullion, 60c 65c
100 Exchequer, 85c
80 Seg. Belcher, 3 65, 3 75
750 Overman, 1 40, 1 45 1 50
300 Justice, 85c, 90c
720 Union Con., 2 60
110 Aits, 1 15, 1 20
100 Silver Hill, 45c
100 Challenge, 3 30
100 Occidental, 1 20
100 Andes, 95c
50 Baltimore, 55c
250 West Consolock, 60c
100 Grand Prize, 1 70
200 Navajo, 1 55
250 Queen, 4 85, 4¾
300 Commonwealth, 4¾
100 Bodie, 1 60
100 Bulwer, 65c
100 Mono, 1 10
200 Crocker, 65
300 Peerless, 1 15

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Depot Hotel—J S Gregory, S F; W J Bloach, S F; W T Bennett, S F; G L Maguire, S F; H I Babcock and wife, S F; E I Barrett, S F; U M Davenport, Sacramento; L E Sexton, Va City; J R Garcia, Truckee; M Franzone, Truckee; Mrs Gerry and family, Wadsworth; J B Elder, Pittsburg; Miss A L Elder, Pittsburg; A M Werum, Oakland; J P Fleitz, Detroit; Geo L Fleitz, Detroit; F Cloun and wife, Columbus, Nev; Ed Trudo, Columbus Nev; M T Hubbard, Sacramento; Mrs. J R Brown, Sacramento; E S Brown, Sacramento; F S Holt, San Francisco; J L Wines, Eureka; A P McAuley, San Jose; T B McJilton, Silver City; G Werner and wife, Carson; T N Holm, San Francisco; W H Payne, Sacramento; M Sheeline, Va City; J W Bell, Arkansas; J T Murphy, Steamboat, C T Bridpits, England.

Palace Hotel—Frank Golden, Virginia City; Chas Long, Va City; A Drumss, Va City; D R Smith, Lassen; J L Gibson, Tulare; Mrs Jackson, Placerville; Miss L Jackson, Placerville; Miss M Jackson, Placerville; E T Klimhans, Texas

JOTTINGS.

The Riverside hotel is the leading family hotel of Reno. Rates reasonable.

Bill heads, letter heads, cards, etc., neatly, cheaply and promptly executed at the Gazette office.

John Richardson keeps the most quiet and comfortable lodging house in town in the Opera House building.

Silk, velvet and plush scraps, stamped and plain, for crazy patchwork, at Miss Gibbs', Virginia street.

There is no discount on the purity of Thistle Dew. The only place it is kept in town is at Pinniger's, the druggist.

If you want a daily, weekly or monthly journal, and a good cigar to smoke while reading, go to C. A. Thurston's.

Hot lunch, unexcelled in Nevada, and a schooner of the famous Wieland beer at the John Wieland saloon every day. All for one bit.

If you are tired and thirsty about noon there is no better place to rest than at J. J. Becker's, while indulging in one of his lunches and a glass of Anheiser beer.

The semi-annual clearance sale of the Palace Dry Goods House is now under way and lady customers are surprised and delighted with the bargains offered.

Having in view that scriptural saying about the camel and the needle's eye, C. J. Brookins has no desire to become rich, and is consequently selling the best stationery, blank books and paints and oils, a little lower than ever.

The Depot hotel has more healthy-looking, contented boarders than any other hotel in sagebland. That the food is good and wholesome one has only to look at Bob, John or Harry to be convinced. They are living advertisements of the excellent table set at that popular hotel.

Dry Goods Announcement.

The clearance sale of spring and summer goods at the Palace Dry Goods and Carpet House still continues. Although there have been large quantities of goods sold the past few days there are many bargains to be had yet, particularly in fine hosiery, jerseys, summer dress goods, kid gloves, corsets, parasols, white goods and silk gloves. All of the articles are exceedingly good values at the prices they are being offered. Those who desire splendid values for their money should not fail to see them.

Reducing the Surplus.

The disposition of the Surplus in the U. S. Treasury engages the attention of our Statesmen, but a more vital question has our attention, and that is the reduction of the Surplus Consumptives. Since the discovery and introduction of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, there has been a marked decrease in the mortality from this dreaded disease, and it is possible to still further reduce the number of Consumptives. How? By keeping constantly at hand a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and using according to directions, upon the appearance of the first symptoms, such as a Cough, a Cold, a Sore Throat, a Chest, or Side pain. Taken thus early a cure is guaranteed. Trial bottles free at Hodgkinson's Drug Store.

BREVITIES.

Local and General Intelligence.

Burglars are reaping a harvest on the Comstock.

The Virginia papers complain of a scarcity of water.

The Hale & Norcross dividend of fifty cents was paid to-day.

The Western Union telegraph office at Austin has been discontinued.

C. C. Warner, deputy postmaster, has been appointed a notary public.

An artesian well-boring company has been organized in Douglas county.

E. W. Crutcher, the Paradise valley stockman, has gone to San Francisco.

A Sacramento man named Lynch is being examined at Golconda for lunacy.

The White Pine *News* has been removed from Taylor to Ely, the county seat.

C W. Jones and wife returned from their *pasear* to the metropolis this morning.

E. C. Leadbetter, the grocer, departed for San Francisco last evening on a vacation trip.

Mark Feeney of Virginia City has recovered from his recent severe attack of pneumonia.

The County Commissioners will meet Friday for the purpose of transacting town business.

Scotchmen from California won all the prizes at the Caledonian picnic in Carson last Saturday.

The school year of the Inyo Academy at Bishop Creek, Cal., will commence on the 3d proximo.

Recorder Williams' condition is much improved to-day, and his complete recovery is almost assured.

Miss H. K. Clapp of the State University and Miss Babcock returned from San Francisco this morning.

Miss Kittie Linn and her cousin, Miss Effie Laforge, departed for Carson this morning on a visit to friends.

Lawyer J. L. Wines of Eureka still tarries in the riverside town. It is said that he is contemplating locating here.

A strike of ore assaying $500 per ton in gold is reported in the Weasel mine, Schurz district, Esmeralda county.

Mollie Forshay, well-known in Reno, has just completed serving a six months' sentence in the Elko county jail.

The dividends declared by Comstock mining companies, out of the July bullion yield of the lode, foot up a total of $188,000.

Union services will be held at the Congregational Church this evening commencing at 7:45 P. M., to which all are cordially invited.

George Watt, the well known stockman and farmer, has announced himself as a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Lander county.

Hon. H. F. Bartine and Judge Murphy will shortly proceed to canvass the State. They will visit every town and hamlet within its boundaries.

T. C. Morgan, the Battle Mountain mining man and whose family reside in Reno, has purchased an interest in the Nevada Livery Stable, San Francisco.

Mrs. C. M. Fassett and Mrs. J. L. Alexander will depart Sunday for Spokane Falls, Washington Territory, and will remain there the balance of the summer.

S. W. Pierce of San Francisco broke the Coast record at the Caledonia picnic on Saturday in throwing the 14-pound hammer. He threw it 117 feet, 10½ inches.

Miss Carrie Crosby and Miss Lizzie Mudd of Virginia City returned to Mills' Seminary, Alameda county, Cal., last evening, their vacation having expired.

T. B. McJilton of the Miners' Union was in Reno yesterday making arrangements for the annual picnic, which will probably be held at Steamboat Springs on September 8th.

A case of ague, the first that ever originated in the county, has been discovered in Humboldt county. The victim is Mrs. F M. Ward, who resides on the Little Humboldt.

Virginia *Enterprise*: The general opinion among Republicans seems to be that our Attorney-General should be requested by the State Central Committee to stump the State for the party.

A. E. Ross, the Long valley stockman, arrived from San Jose this morning where he has located his family for the purpose of enabling his children to attend the State Normal School.

Justice Young transacted the following business to-day: L. M. Lewis, a well-dressed drunk, paid $10 for his fun, and M. J. Hogan, another drunk, was also fined the same amount. A vagrant, calling himself Victor Adrian, was sentenced to eight days imprisonment.

He Objected to Face Powder.

A divorce was granted recently in San Francisco to Mrs. Emma G. Pease from Dr. Giles M. Pease on the ground of desertion. Mrs. Pease testified that the doctor objected to the use of face powder, and when, one morning, he found her face covered with it, he left the house in disgust. Though returning to his meals, he never spoke to her again for fifteen months, and finally left her altogether. If the heads of families in Carson would follow the example set by the San Francisco disciple of Esculapius, there would be more grass widows in that town than there are office-holders.

"Wooden-Headed."

When a wooden pavement was desired outside St. Paul's cathedral, Sidney Smith said: "If the simons will simply 'put their heads together,' the thing is done!" They were not half so wooden-headed, however, as it would be to deny the merit of Dr. R. V. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which has cured many thousands of liver disease, impure blood, king's-evil, salt-rheum, dropsy, chronic affections of the throat, bronchial tubes, and lungs, asthma, catarrh, influenza, neuralgia, dyspepsia, constipation, and all skin diseases. Druggists.

When everything else fails, Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy cures.

The remedy which most successfully combats malarial disorders is Ayer's Ague Cure. It is a powerful vegetable compound, and contains neither quinine nor any other dangerous ingredient. Warranted to cure chills and fever.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

To the Constitution of the State of Nevada.

The people of Nevada will be called upon to vote for or against the following proposed amendments to the Constitution. They should be attentively read, and the Gazette suggests that they be cut out and laid away for future reference:

A LOTTERY SCHEME.

No. XXIII.—Assembly Concurrent Resolution, passed March 3, 1887.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Constitution of the State of Nevada be amended as follows:

Amend Section twenty-four of Article IV, of the Constitution of the State of Nevada so as to read as follows:

Section twenty-four. The Legislature is authorized to provide for the organization and incorporation of a lottery in the State of Nevada, and to designate the amount of revenue that shall annually be paid into the State Treasury by said corporation.

TO REVISE THE CONSTITUTION.

No. XIX.—Senate Joint and Concurrent Resolution, passed Februrary 26, 1887.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That it is necessary to revise the entire Constitution of the State of Nevada. The electors of the State of Nevada are hereby recommended at the next general election for members of the Legislature of the State of Nevada, to be holden on the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November, A. D., one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, to vote for or against a Constitutional Convention. We recommend that the vote be cast in the following form:

"Shall a Constitutional Convention be called? Yes."

"Shall a Constitutional Convention be called? No."

RELATIVE TO COUNTY OFFICERS.

No. XXIV.—Assembly Joint Resolution, passed March 3, 1887.

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the Constitution of the State of Nevada be amended in the following manner: Amend Section thirty-two of Article IV., so that (it) shall read as follows:

Section thirty-two. The Legislature shall have power to increase, diminish, consolidate or abolish the following county officers: County Clerks, County Recorders, Auditors, Sheriffs, District Attorneys, County Surveyors, Public Administrators and Superintendent of Schools. The Legislature shall provide for their election by the people, and fix by law their duties and compensation. County Clerks shall be *ex officio* Clerks of the Courts of Record and of the Boards of County Commissioners in and for their respective counties.

WILL INTEREST OFFICE-SEEKERS.

No. XXV.—Assembly Joint Resolution, passed March 3, 1887

Resolved by the Senate and Assembly, conjointly, That Section 3, Article 15, of the Constitution of the State of Nevada be amended so as to read as follows:

Section three. No person shall be eligible to any office who is not a qualified elector under this Constitution. No person who, while a citizen of this State, has, since the adoption of this Constitution, fought a duel with a deadly weapon, sent or accepted a challenge to fight a duel with a deadly weapon, either within or beyond the boundaries of this State, or who has acted as second, or knowingly conveyed a challenge, or aided or assisted in any manner in fighting a duel, shall be allowed to hold any office of honor, profit or trust, or enjoy the right of suffrage under this Constitution. The Legislature shall provide by law for giving force and effect to the foregoing provisions of this section; *provided*, that females over the age of twenty-one years, who have resided in this State one year, and in the county or district six months next preceding any election to fill either of said offices, shall be eligible to the offices of Superintendent of Public Schools and School Trustee.

THE "MORMON" OATH.

No. XIV.—Senate Joint and Concurrent Resolution, passed Feburary 18, 1887.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Constitution of the State of Nevada be amended as follows: Amend Article II, of the Constitution of the State of Nevada by adding thereto an additional section, to read as follows:

Section nine. No person shall be allowed to vote at any election in this State who is a bigamist or polygamist, or who teaches the doctrines of bigamy or polygamy, or who is a member of or belongs to the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, commonly called the Mormon Church, or who is a member of or belongs to any order, organization or association which sanctions or tolerates bigamy or polygamy, or plural or celestial marriage, or which exercises, or claims the right to exercise, civil power in conflict with or opposed to the constitution or laws of this State or of the United States. If any person offering to vote shall be challenged as disqualified under this section, his vote shall not be received unless he shall take and subscribe the following oath:

"I do solemnly swear (or affirm) before Almighty God, under the pains and penalties of perjury, that I am not a bigamist or polygamist; that I neither teach or practice bigamy or polygamy; that I am neither a member of or belong to the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, commonly called the Mormon Church; that I am not a member of or belong to any order, organization or association which sanctions or tolerates bigamy or polygamy, or plural or celestial marriage, or which exercises or claims the right to exercise, civil power in conflict with or opposed to the Constitution or laws of this State or of the United States; that I regard the Constitution of the United States and the laws thereof, and the Constitution and laws of the State of Nevada, as interpreted by the courts, as the supreme law of the land, the doctrines or teachings of any order, organization or association to the contrary notwithstanding. So help me God."

The Legislature shall have power to enforce this amendment by appropriate legislation, and to add other requirements to the foregoing oath, but shall omit no part thereof.

Painters are engaged in repainting and "striping" the opera house.

DEMOCRATIC DOINGS.

A Noticeable Lack of Aspirants for Office—The Outlook Not Very Flattering.

On Wednesday evening last the Democratic County Central Committee held a meeting and it was decided to hold the primaries throughout the county on the 25th instant, and the County Convention on the 8th proximo.

Up to the present time Democratic aspirants for office have failed to materialize in any considerable numbers, and although scores have been mentioned as fit subjects for slaughter at the Republican shambles, the names of only three are spoken of as probable candidates for the leading offices. John B. Williams, the present Recorder, and L. J. Flint, Sheriff, will undoubtedly secure a renomination; Nick Hummel of Wadsworth is spoken of as good timber out of which to hew a legislator, and P. H. Brown, the present Coroner, will probably have a walk-over for a renomination for that unprofitable and undesirable position.

For the responsible positions of State Senator, County Clerk, Treasurer, Justice of the Peace and District Attorney no intimation has as yet been given by the party managers as to who the unlucky nominees will be. For Justice of the Peace, an office said to be the "fattest" in the gift of the people of the county, there are said to be several modest aspirants for Convention favor, but their names could not be learned.

From a member of the County Central Committee it was learned that it is the intention of the managers to arrange a ticket for delegates to the County Convention which will commend itself to all. The ticket will be made up of prominent business men, who are thoroughly identified with the county, and about whom the slightest shadow of political trickery cannot be found.

From conversations held with a number of the leading party men today, a Gazette representative learned that the local leaders considered that their fight was a forlorn one, and that the ticket, as a whole, would be defeated, a foregone conclusion. For that reason it was intimated that, with the exception of those named, the County Convention would be at a loss to place a good ticket in the field. In other words, the party was short of material and would be compelled to appeal to the patriotism and love of party of its prominent men, in order to induce them to allow their names to be placed upon the ticket. Truly the outlook for the Democratic party in Washoe county is a discouraging one.

BURLESQUE STARS.

Rentz-Santley's Novelty Company Crowds Piper's Opera House.

The first appearance of the Rentz-Santley burlesque stars at Piper's Opera House last night, says the Virginia *Chronicle*, attracted a large attendance and the entertainment provided was eminently satisfactory—if continued applause and numerous encores express that sentiment. Amazonian marchs, fencing bouts, a baseball game, a tobogganing carnival and fancy dancing by a score of shapely young ladies, whose graces of figure were not concealed by superfluous drapery, comprised the first part of the attractive programme.

The second part included marvelous balancing feats, by Professor Lee; ballad singing, by Miss Lillian Markam, in a contralto voice of surprising depth and volume; song, dance and change acts by Georgie Blake, and the whole concluding with the burlesque "Adam and Eve" in which superb Ida Siddons introduced her famous skipping rope act and Sara, the kicker, wonderful saltatory movements. The entertainments given by the Rentz-Santley company are fully as chaste as those provided by the Pyke and Carleton comic opera troupes.

Box sheet at Nasby's Bazaar.

A Move in the Right Direction.

The State Board of Agriculture has decided not to issue licenses to hackdrivers, etc., at the next State Fair, who will not agree to take passengers to and from the grounds for twenty-five cents. Those taking out licenses will be allowed to enter the grounds, thus delivering their passengers at the grand stand, while those who do not, will be compelled to unload outside the grounds. The Society will issue tickets bearing its stamp, which, in order to avoid imposition, can be purchased by the public and will be good for a round-trip on any licensed vehicle. The present Board is a business one, and proposes to make the fair of this year and those hereafter for the benefit of the people and not for that of grasping hackmen and others.

Pavilion Exhibits.

The Superintendent of the Pavilion, P. H. Mulcahy, reports that space has been applied for by a large number of exhibitors and the prospects now are that the display will be larger and more interesting than any of its predecessors. Among the features of the exhibition will be a display of fruit grown in this county, as several of our largest fruit-growers have applied for space and will exhibit every variety they grow. One, Joe Frey, will exhibit fifty varieties, and Theodore Winters and Ross Lewers will doubtless also see that their orchards are well represented.

Attention, Twilights!

You are requested to meet at McKissick's Opera House this evening for the purpose of rehearsal. By order,

A. C. Davis, Manager.
F. L. White, Stage Manager.

A Natural Product of California.

It is only found in Butte county, California, and in no other part of the world. We refer to the tree that produces the healing and penetrating gum used in that pleasant and effective cure for consumption, asthma, bronchitis, and coughs, Santa Abie, the King of Consumption, which Osburn & Shoemaker guarantee and sells it for $1 a bottle, or three for $2 50. By the use of California Cat-ar-cure, all symptoms of catarrh are dispelled, and the diseased nasal passage is speedily restored to a healthy condition. $1 a package. By mail, $1.10. Circulars free.

Fryer's Abetene Cough Balsam is guaranteed to give immediate relief in Coup. Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and all affection of the throat. Price 75 cents. Sold by W. Pinniger. All genuine Abietene preparations bear the fac-simile signature of D. F. Fryer.

DITCH-OWNERS AROUSED.

The Water Problem Discussed—Action to be Taken.

Owing to the lateness of the hour at which the meeting of ditch-owners was held yesterday, the Gazette was compelled to give a curtailed report of the proceedings. The Gazette's report closed at 3 o'clock at which hour the following resolution, offered by H. H. Beck, was being discussed:

Resolved, That, in the opinion of this meeting of ditch-owners along the Truckee river, Washoe county, if the natural flow of water was not illegally interrupted above the State line, there would be enough coming to supply the needs of all now diverting water for irrigating or other purposes.

The subsequent proceedings, as reported by the *Journal*, were as follows:

It was shown that the Truckee Lumber Company has a ten-foot dam at Lake Tahoe and the Boca Company a fifteen-foot one at the mouth of the Little Truckee, which they close at inopportune hours, leaving the river very low in the day time, while at night the water is sent down in a flood incapable of being used.

There seemed to be a feeling among those present that the evil lay in the multiplication of ditches regardless of the riparian rights of prior appropriators, and Mr. Mapes stated that he had been informed that last Thursday when the Steamboat Ditch was running full, the Mapes, North Truckee and Orr ditches had barely a few inches. Mr. Jones suggested dividing the ditch-owners in two—one-half using the water for four years alternately, but the scheme was not considered available. It was unanimously agreed that something must be quickly done, as many of the crops in the valley are drying up for the want of water, and a crop of litigations would spring up between the ditch-men, ruinous to their interests, and then not affording a true settlement of the difficulty.

Mr. Beck said that his idea, above all, was to save trouble among themselves without litigation. It was a plain proposition that if rightfully used there was water in abundance for all. All that was necessary was to join and uproot a big rock (Truckee Lumber Co.) from the river. He didn't believe in hair-pulling between ditchmen. This thing of having a flood for six hours at night and a famine the balance of the eighteen was outrageous, and the Courts would surely sustain the riparian rights of all interested. He considered it the duty of the Attorney General to bring suit in the name of some party aggrieved against the parties who are interfering with the natural flow of the Truckee river. It was suggested that a committee be appointed to call on all the ditch owners and parties interested and procure their attendance at some future date, so as to have a rousing meeting, and raise the sinews of war for an active campaign against the enemy. This was postponed until the next meeting, which was called for next Thursday afternoon at the Court House, after which the assemblage adjourned.

In the course of debate Mr. Sessions stated that there were about twenty large ditches carrying over twenty thousand inches of water, and located in the following various years: Mapes, 1860; Orr, 1861; Steamboat, 1863; Sessions & Stevens, 1863; North Truckee, 1865; English Mill, 1863; Sessions, 1863; Longley, 1864; Lake 1863; Last Chance, 1872; Wheeler, 1872; Highland, 1875; Sullivan & Kelly, 1873; besides the Reduction Works, Beck and Fogus ditches.

The ditch owners and farmers of the meadows are now thoroughly aroused and are determined to push the matter to a logical end. Funds will be raised, the best legal talent procured and an enthusiastic meeting held next Thursday afternoon, the idea being kept constantly in view to avoid wasting their strength in litigation between themselves, and unite their forces against the common enemy.

For Commissioner.

William Merrill of Verdi, for the past two years a County Commissioner, announces in this issue that he is a candidate for a renomination. Mr. Merrill has resided in Washoe county for twenty-four years, nineteen of which he has spent in the vicinity of Verdi, where he is engaged in farming on a large scale, and is highly respected by his friends and neighbors. During his incumbency of the office to which he aspires he has been noted for his fidelity to its onerous duties, and deserves the honor of a renomination at the hands of his party.

Mackay's Old Cabin.

The old cabin formerly occupied by John Mackay, of bonanza fame, when he mined at Allegheny City, California, from 1856 to 1859, has been taken to San Francisco, where it will be set up in the Sierra county exhibit at the Mechanics' Fair. The cabin is 10x12 feet, and has been carefully taken apart. The picks, shovels and rocker which Mackay used at the time of his occupation of the cabin will also be shown. The cabin has been kept in good repair by the people of Allegheny City as an object of interest.

Our Candidate for President.

He will be nominated by the convention and will be elected by the people, because he will come the nearest to filling their ideal of a Chief Magistrate. Electric Bitters has been given the highest place, because no other medicine has so well filled the ideal of a perfect tonic and alterative. The people have indorsed Electric Bitters and rely upon this great remedy in all troubles of Liver, Stomach and Kidneys. For all Malarial Fevers and diseases caused by Malarial Poisons, Electric Bitters cannot be too highly recommended. Also cures Headache and Constipation. Satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded. Price 50 cents and $2 per bottle at Hodgkinson's Drug Store.

Why suffer with bleeding, blind, bleding and ulcered piles, Catarrh, old Sores Chapped Hands, when a few applications of Fryer's Abietene Ointment is guaranteed to effect a cure. Price 25 cents, sold by W. Pinniger. All genuine Abietene preparations bear the fac-simile signature of D. F. Fryer.

The tonic and alterative properties of Ayer's Sarsaparilla are too well known to require the specious aid of any exaggerated or fictitious certificate. Witnesses of the marvelous cures effected by this preparation are to be found living in every city and hamlet of the land.

Why cough and suffer with a cold, when Fryer's Abietene Cough Balsam will give immediate relief? It contains no Opium. Price 75 cents, sold by W. Pinniger. All genuine Abietene preparations bear the fac-simile signature of D. F. Fryer.

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Semi-Annual Clearance Sale

And unusually good values will be offered in every department. All our

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS!

Will be slashed into and will be offered at prices regardless of cost, as we do not intend to carry them over, and room must be made for our

FALL AND WINTER GOODS

Which will commence to arrive soon. Among the many bargains that will be placed on sale are

Fine Nuns' Veilings,	Choice Dress Ginghams,
Victoria Lawns,	Apron Ginghams,
Large and Fine Bedspreads,	Silk Gloves,
Tablecloths,	Fine Percales,
Ladies', Misses' and Children's Fine Hosiery,	Fine Kid Gloves,
Black and Colored Jerseys,	Handkerchiefs,
	Collars,

And many other articles too numerous to mention. Extraordinary inducements will be offered in

CARPETS, RUGS, MATTINGS & WALL PAPERS

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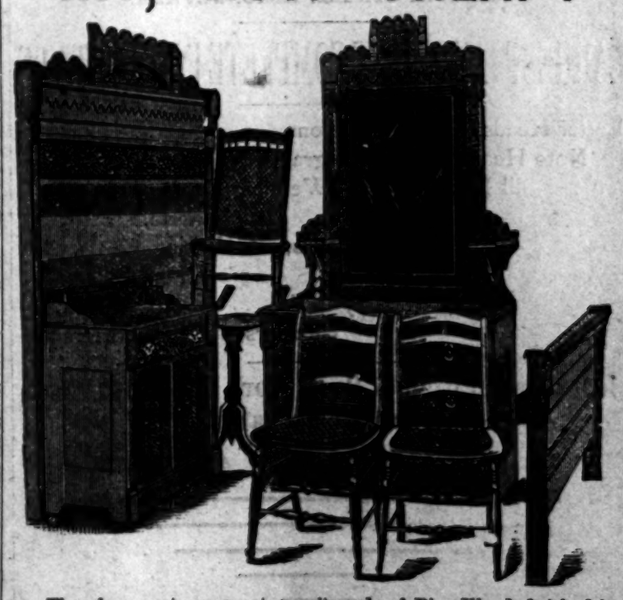
Monday, August 6th, 1888

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2. TROTTING—2 year-old colt race, 2 in 3. District. Purse, $200.
3. RUNNING—3-year-old and under; mile dash. Purse, $ 50.
4. RUNNING—¼ mile and repeat. Purse $200. District.

SECOND DAY.

5. TROTTING—2:30 class, 3 in 5; purse, $500.
6. TROTTING—½ mile and repeat, one-year-olds; purse, $250. District.
7. RUNNING—mile heats, 2 in 3; purse, $ 00.
8. RUNNING—1¾ mile dash; purse $400.
9. RUNNING—Indian pony race. Mile dash; Indians to ride; purse, $100; no entrance fee.

THIRD DAY.

10. PACING AND TROTTING—2:25 class, 3 in 5; purse, $600.
11. TROTTING—2:40 class, 3 in 5; purse, $400
12. RUNNING—¾ mile dash; purse, $200.
13. RUNNING 1¼ mile dash purse, $350.
14. RUNNING—1 mile dash; purse, $300.

FOURTH DAY.

15. TROTTING—2:30 class 3 in 5; purse $350. District.
16. TROTTING—Free for all, 3 in 5; purse, $800.
17. RUNNING—½ mile dash; purse, $200. District.
18. RUNNING—1¼ mile dash; purse $300.
19. TROTTING—Double teams (District) mile and repeat. Unmanned teams must pull buggy, owner to drive. Entrance to close at 9 o'clock evening before race; purse $150.

FIFTH DAY.

20. PACING—3 in 5, free for all; purse, $500.
21. TROTTING—Single buggy (District), 2 in 3, owner to drive; purse $100 Entries close at 9 P. M. day before race Trained horses barred.
22. RUNNING—Two miles and repeat; purse, $800
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RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$388,441 67
Overdrafts	1,29 2
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	50,000 00
Other stocks, bonds and mortgages	29,794 55
Due from approved reserve agts	3,419 88
Due from other national banks	311 58
Due from state banks and bankers	1,476 77
Real estate, furniture and fixtures	38,026 00
Premiums paid	5,46 66
Checks and other cash items	349 4
Bills of other banks	400 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	7 9
Specie	32,331 5
Legal tender notes	242 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	2,250 00
Total	$549,902 99

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$300,000 00
Surplus fund	70,000 00
Undivided profits	7,828 4
National Bank notes outstanding	35,100 00
Individual deposits subject to check	122,927 2
Demand certificates of deposit	4,3 2
Certified checks	5,9 0 0
Due to other National banks	17,272 1
Due to State banks and bankers	37,278
Total	$549 [illegible]

State of Nevada, County of Washoe, ss. I, C. T. Bender, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. T. BENDER, Cashier.

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GAMBLING AT SARATOGA.

A SPLENDID RESORT OF THOSE WHO TRY THEIR LUCK.

Successful Hotels in the Beautiful New York Village—A Negro and an Indian as Landlords—Ex-Judge Hilton's Magnificent Hospitality.

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People come to Saratoga with a variety of objects in view. Some come for business, others for pleasure. Those here for business are the proprietors of the large and small hotels, the keepers of stores in the hotel buildings, the gamblers, horsemen, bunco sharps, pick-pockets and ordinary thieves.

The respectable gamblers are permitted to remain in this village and attend to their business. The bunco men, pick-pockets and ordinary thieves do not tarry long. As a general thing they find their occupations gone with a suddenness that is surprising to them. The large hotels have in their employ men who are well acquainted with these robbers. They are quickly complained of to the police and sent adrift. The respectable gamblers are so orderly that the religious visitors to Saratoga would never believe for a moment that there is anything like gambling going on here.

The popular gambling resort is known as The Saratoga Club House and is probably the finest institution of its kind in this country. It is a large and spacious building elegantly furnished, and has beautiful grounds, an army of servants and one of the finest dining halls in Saratoga, and that is saying a great deal. The gambling hall itself is, of course, the most elaborate feature of the building.

The property is owned by Albert Spencer, who looks more like a retired merchant with fixed religious views than anything else. He bears a striking resemblance to Gen. Grant when the latter was strong and healthy, and has some of the manners of that great warrior. He is quiet and sociable but never bombastic and coarse. He has been used to good things all his life and believes that everybody should live as he does.

Neither Delmonico's, The Hoffman House, Hotel Brunswick nor any of the most fashionable clubs or hotels of New York have anything like the silver and china ware that he displays in his dining-room. It was all made expressly for him and is of the highest order of workmanship.

From a pretty little pond on the grounds tiny trout are scooped up and served on solid silver trays. The men who visit this club house can well afford to pay for all they get and leave a few thousand dollars behind them as a memento of their visit. It is not a resort for dry-goods clerks and men who wager $5 on the races. It is frequented by millionaires as well as men who have only a paltry $60,000 a year income.

The servants are quiet and discreet colored men who take good care not to let strangers enter the club house, and the gentlemen who preside at the various tables in the large gambling hall are among the handsomest and most expert in their line of business in the country.

Ladies frequently visit the club house and dine there, but are not permitted the privilege of entering the gambling hall, and thus are debarred from seeing their husbands and sweethearts losing large sums of money on the turn of a card.

Mr. Spencer has made the race track property the best in America. The races will begin on the 24th inst. and continue until the 30th of August. The first race of the day is at 11.30 in the morning and the last race is finished at 2.30 in the afternoon, giving visitors ample opportunity to go to their hotels and eat dinner.

The ladies are of course the majority of persons on the grand stand, and some of the finest equipages in the United States are seen standing in the field while the races are in progress.

Of course everybody goes to Saratoga Lake and stops at the famous Moon's Hotel. This hotel stand on the crest of a hill overlooking the lake, and there are beautiful little pagodas all over the grounds where ladies and gentlemen may drink champagne and eat Saratoga chips. There are steamboats, rowboats and yachts enough for everybody.

Hiram S. Thomas, a handsome colored man who was formerly the head waiter at the Grand Union, is now proprietor of this hotel and has considerably improved the place in every way. Mr. Thomas is known to thousands of persons from Maine to California, and from Chicago to New Orleans. He is a man of education and has a fine family. All of his sons with the exception of one who is a mere boy have been educated at college and have great futures before them.

James Riley, the famous oarsman, is the proprietor of a smaller hotel within a short distance from Moon's, and about four miles further down the lake is the White Sulphur Springs Park Hotel, where there is an opportunity for bathing and a splendid chance for fishing.

There is another famous resort where such men as the late President Arthur, Gen. Grant and many Governors and United States Senators have eaten fish and game, and this is known as George Crum's. Mr. Crum is an Indian, and is the happy possessor of two wives who, it is strange to say, live in perfect harmony and accord. Though there is supposed to be a law against bigamy in the State of New York it does not seem to apply to Indians and everybody considers that Mr. Crum is entitled to as many wives as he desires.

There are a number of splendid parks in Saratoga. The first and most aristocratic is that owned by ex-Judge Henry Hilton and is known as Woodlawn. Judge Hilton has a castle for himself and castles for his sons and daughters in this park. There are thirty-four miles of carriage drives here; magnificent trees are in abundance and some very costly and curiously wrought statuary attracts the eye. On one of the walls of the castle are two figures which look like china dolls of immense size. These are said to have cost a fortune and the Judge would not part with them for half of Saratoga. Everybody excepting peddlers are allowed to pass through this park and the Judge invites military organizations to parade here and gives the most gorgeous receptions to his friends. He is a bigger man than the President of the village by a long sight, and owns more property than any other man in Saratoga. He has charge of all of the late Alexander Stewart's property, a part of which is the Grand Union Hotel.

The Judge thought that he would like to own a hotel of his own and he built the Windsor, the most luxurious establishment in this State. He has never found any profit in this hotel, and never expects to. A large number of his friends, notably the Judges of the Court of Appeals, are annually invited to take apartments there and enjoy themselves to the best of their ability at his expense. These Judges have large families who accompany them and the daughters generally have a number of young lady friends living in various parts of the State who go with them to this hotel. The Judges bring their horses and carriages and stow them away in the Windsor stables. The hotel is under the management of John M. Otter, who is also the manager of the Grand Union Hotel here, and the Metropolitan, Park Avenue, and Colonnade in New York.

The native Saratogian is a big man before the summer season arrives and after it has gone, but he is a very small and very quiet man during the summer. This is not saying anything to his discredit, because he behaves himself like a gentleman and does not intrude his society upon people who come here with large mouths and big pocket books and who strut around and make themselves generally disagreeable. JOHN A. GREENE.

TURMOIL IN GOTHAM.

The Electric Wires Not Yet Buried—Hopeless Discord in the Departments—Sentimental Philanthropy—Some of Its Useless Expressions.

Department muddles or bureau snarls are common enough in a city governed by a common council, a mayor, a whole nest of commissioners and an Albany lobby. But no snarl ever quite presented the same inextricable and absurd deadlock that the question of disposing of the above-ground electric wires now presents. The whole thing would be unprecedentedly funny if the enormity of it did not occasionally strike people dead in their shoes.

The more the community cries out for the removal of the wires, the more the jam of departments and commissions resembles one of those log rafts when the ice breaks up and the freshets begin. Everybody in authority appears to be paralyzed at the hopelessness of the muddle. General Newton sticks out one way and Mayor Hewitt another. There are layers upon layers of deadwood all the way down, and the shores are lined by an amused community, awe struck at the limitless log rolling.

The attempt to put the wires underground has embittered every department. Ghastly visions of jobs flit over the columns of the press. There is an open charge that the subway commission is in the hands of a powerful telegraphic syndicate, who expect to bury not only every other company's wires, but every other company's charter.

Public opinion yells, "Bury the wires," but there are three or four companies that object to being buried in the way the syndicate has arranged.

Public opinion has also been howling, "Down with the dead poles." The board of electrical control decided that the poles and wires were nuisances and must come down. The mayor, the corporation counsel, chief engineers, the department of streets, and the bureau of encumbrances got into an additional snarl immediately. The United States Illuminating Company warned the bureau that the wires were not dead, and the men of the bureau said, "Strike me dead if I touch 'em."

"Suppose," says General Newton, "I order these poles and wires down, and the company turns on the electricity, which one of the many city departments will defend me if I am accused of manslaughter?"

In these deadlocks there is one resource: Men rush to the corporation counsel; he pigeon-holes the latest application and waits.

New York thus presents the astounding spectacle of a city caged in from above with wires, and tied up below with red tape, and she lies like another Samson in the Delilah lap of corporations, mingling laughter and tears at her own helplessness.

The latest fad here—a dead-season fad—is the sending of flowers to tenement houses. A few good-hearted but sentimental women have conceived the notion that poverty will be lightened of half its load if it can only have a posy on the mantel and some carnations in the window. My impression is, this is a mistake. Tenement-house life in New York is for the most part the most wretched order of domiciliary living in the world. The houses are vermin-infested ovens, in which every order of vice and virtue is herded. What tenement life actually needs is more room, more air, more water, more exclusiveness. To sprinkle flowers on this municipal disgrace is very much like throwing them into the grave. I cannot think of a hollow mockery more exasperating than the hollow mockery of sentiment when practical relief is needed. Even the Sermon on the Mount would be robbed of its ineffable beauty if you undertake to read it to a man who was dying of thirst, and there must be something transcendentally puerile in the visit of a bevy of esthetic dames to a home where the children are suffering with the prickly heat and the summer complaint, and the mother is worn out with care and petulant with personal distress, for no other purpose than to stick some buds round.

However, I see that the flower mission has stimulated another set of dames, a peg higher on the practical scale, to a fruit mission. That is several degrees more sensible, and promises to develop into mutton-pie missions and cornbeef-hash missions before long.

If some one would only discover a method of utilizing the sentimentalism of the modern genteel woman, there would be a new and powerful social motor added to the living instrumentalities.

Only convince her that it is the "proper caper," "the cheese," "the form," and she'll go as a missionary, or stay in town in summer as a martyr, singing hosannas while she burns.

There's a great mass of raw material lying unused here in this direction, and so far unworked by anybody but the esthetic pastors and the champion tennis players. NYM CRINKLE.

Tobacco Exposition.

A national exposition of the cigar and tobacco industries will be held in New York during next fall or winter. The affair has been placed in charge of the Executive Committee of the National Association of Cigar Manufacturers. The necessary capital has been secured. The plan of the exposition includes the exhibition of everything pertaining to tobacco. Practical illustrations of the manufacture will be given.

Plow-Marked Hands.

The Hon. Charles Drury said at the Wentworth farmers' picnic that his hands bore the marks of the plow.

"Then," interrupted Mr. Awrey, "you should have washed them."

Mr. Awrey's tongue is generally unmanageable in the face of an opening for a clever witticism.—Toronto Globe.

Trust ful Woman.

Women are naturally truthful, especially when they are talking about another woman that they don't like.—Susanville Journal.